

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 11-20129

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Plaintiff,

v.

D-9/D-3 MICHAEL MASTROMATTEO  
D-10/D-4 VERNON NELSON RICH  
D-11 JOHN RENNY RIEDE  
D-12/D-6 VICTOR CARLOS CASTANO  
D-14 MICHAEL KENNETH RICH  
D-15 RAYMOND CHARLES MELIOLI  
D-16 TIMOTHY PAUL DOWNS  
D-18 SMILEY VILLA  
D-19/D-11 DEAN EDWARD JAKIEL  
D-20 TONY WAYNE KITCHENS  
D-21 SLYVESTER GERARD WESAW  
D-25 CLIFFORD CHANSEL RHODES, II  
D-26 DAVID ROY DELONG  
D-27 CHRISTOPHER RAYMOND COOK  
D-28 MICHAEL JOHN PALAZZOLA  
D-33 SALVATORE BATTAGLIA  
D-35 WAYNE RUSSELL WERTH

HON. ROBERT H. CLELAND

Defendants.

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**STIPULATION AND ORDER EXCLUDING TIME FOR SPEEDY TRIAL PURPOSES**

Through their respective counsel, excepting D-11 JOHN RENNY RIEDE, D-12/D-6 VICTOR CARLOS CASTANO, D-28 MICHAEL JOHN PALAZZOLA, and D-33 SALVATORE BATTAGLIA, who have as yet not replied to the government's request for concurrence, the parties, stipulate and agree that a trial in this matter be scheduled in **April 27, 2015** due to: (1) the Government and the Court resume trial for defendants in Trial Group 1: SUTHERLAND, MCKEOUN, SMITH, DARRAH, VANDIVER, WITORT and

DROZDOWSKI on October 14, 2014, and Trial Group 1's trial is expected to last until at least January 2015 or longer; (2) the complexity of the related criminal matters, (3) the large number of Defendants, and (4) the volume of discovery, the parties agree that all of the time between October 6, 2014 and April 27, 2015, shall constitute excludable delay pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(1)(D) & (H), §3161 (h)(7)(B)(ii). The parties further agree that the ends of justice served by this delay outweigh the best interests of the defendants and the public in a speedy trial pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

**IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

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Dated: October 6, 2014

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

s/Robert H. Cleland  
HONORABLE ROBERT H. CLELAND  
United States District Judge

Entered: October 7, 2014